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APPLICANT:

Farr et al. 10/081,483

SERIAL NO.: FILED:

February 22, 2002

FOR:

Effervescent Beverage Product

GROUP:

1761

EXAMINER:

Robert Madsen **ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NEW JERSEY 07632**

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated January 27, 2006 of the Primary Examiner's final rejection of claims 1 and 3-18.

The item(s) check below are appropriate:

IXI A timely response to the final Rejection has been filed.

An Extension of Time to respond to the Final Rejection was requested for two months.

An Extension of Time to file a Notice of Appeal was granted for one month(s). []

Charge statutory fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. Please charge any additional [X]fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. This request is being submitted in triplicate.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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Total Claims		Minus			\$ 50.00	
Independent Claims		Minus			\$ 200.00	
Multiple Claims	<u> </u>				\$ 360.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE	FOR THIS AMENDMENT				\$	0.00

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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required to our deposit account No. 12-1155, including all required fees under

[X] 37 C.F.R. ≥ 1.16;

[X] 37 C.F.R. → 1.17;

[X] 37 C.F.R. ∋ 1.18.

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